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## TOWN OFFICERS.

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MODERATOR.

GEORGE E. WHITCOMB.

SELECTMEN.

ANSIL A. MORSE.

GEORGE E. ADAMS.

EDWARD B. HOLBROOK.

TOWN CLERK.

GEORGE I. CUTLER.

TREASURER.

EDWARD H. SNOW.

COLLECTOR.

WALTER F. OAKMAN.

SUPERVISORS.

ERDIX S. EASTMAN.

WALTER E. MARSH.

JAMES M. RAMSDELL.

HIGHWAY AGENTS.

JOHN W. STARKEY.

GEORGE L. UNDERWOOD.

CHARLES A. BARDEN.

SCHOOL BOARD.

GEORGE I. CUTLER.

JESSIE H. MARSH.

LUCIA E. WHITCOMB.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

GEORGE I. CUTLER.

JOHN H. BOURN.

JOHN H. PHILLIPS.

AUDITOR.

WALTER E. MARSH.

## REPORT OF SELECTMEN AND TREASURER.

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### APPROPRIATIONS AT THE ANNUAL MEETING IN MARCH, 1904.

Repairs on highways and bridges,	\$2,500 00
Support of schools,	2,800 00
Steamer,	1,000 00
Support of poor,	300 00
Town charges,	2,000 00
Care of cemeteries,	150 00
Supplies for schools,	300 00
Decorations for soldiers' graves,	100 00
Old Home Week,	75 00
Snow rollers,	300 00
Support of Stratton Free Library,	100 00
Repair of engine house,	650 00
For Richardson park,	20 00
Laying pipe to common,	800 00

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### AT SCHOOL MEETING.

Repairs on school property,	\$300 00
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### APRIL INVOICE, 1904.

Resident real estate,	\$464,595 00
Non-resident real estate,	152,210 00



Mills and machinery,	70,950 00
Stock in trade,	38,500 00
Money at interest,	29,645 00
Stock in banks,	2,700 00
474 polls,	47,400 00
400 horses,	25,080 00
10 oxen,	635 00
556 cows,	13,330 00
267 other neat stock,	4,375 00
48 sheep,	155 00
1 hog,	20 00
Fowls,	200 00
Vehicles,	1,875 00
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	\$851,670 00

Rate per cent, \$1.65.

Tax resulting,	\$14,053 56
Amount committed to collector,	14,053 56
Added to collector's book,	25 58

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### RECEIPTS.

Cash remaining in treasury, Feb. 15, 1904,	\$370 72
A. A. Ware, fund from Brattleboro bank,	300 00
A. A. Ware fund, interest,	10 59
Geo. W. Willis, 1903 tax,	965 21
Geo. W. Willis, interest on 1903 tax,	50 84
County commissioners for county paupers,	721 85
County commissioners for dependent soldiers,	38 00
Andrew Hinds, cemetery lot,	5 00
W. F. Oakman, 1904 taxes,	13,080 00
G. I. Cutler, dog tax,	274 15
Herbert O. Young, balance memorial fund,	1 85
Wm. Merriman fund,	100 00
E. B. Holbrook, grass from Richardson park,	3 10
State license commission, 1903-1904,	166 94

Cash from Andrew Carey estate,	40
Fayette Downing, 1902 tax and interest,	2 20
Geo. A. Seaver, grass from cemetery,	2 00
Use of engine house hall,	1 00
Andrew Carey estate, for furniture,	5 00
Railroad tax,	161 25
Savings bank tax,	260 95
Literary fund,	191 95
State, proportion of school fund,	467 00
Balance returned by building committee,	18
W. F. Oakman, sale of town histories,	6 00
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	\$17,186 18

## DISBURSEMENTS.

### TOWN OFFICERS.

Joseph L. Starkey, selectman, 1903,	\$129 50
Edward B. Holbrook, selectman, 1903,	139 50
George E. Adams, selectman, 1903,	132 00
Edward H. Snow, treasurer, 1903,	35 00
Julia E. Snow, treasurer of school district, 1903,	15 00
George I. Cutler, town clerk,	36 83
Jessie H. Marsh, member of school board, 1903,	50 00
Lucia E. Whitcomb, member of school board, 1903,	50 00
Nellie L. Sparhawk, member of school board, 1903,	50 00
Erdix S. Eastman, supervisor,	39 25
John C. Bourn, member of board of health,	5 00
Andrew LaFountain, services as sexton,	82 75
Ellery Lebourveau, services as constable,	2 00
Geo. W. Richardson, ballot clerk, 1902,	3 00
F. F. Downing, services as school clerk,	4 50
W. E. Marsh, supervisor for 5 meetings and copying two lists for state,	37 50

Geo. W. Willis, collecting taxes, 1903,	112 00
Geo. W. Willis, auditor for 1899-1900, and ballot clerk for 1903,	9 50
Walter E. Marsh, auditor for 1904,	3 00
George I. Cutler, services on board of health,	2 00
J. M. Ramsdell, supervisor,	35 00
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	\$973 33

### SUPPORT OF COUNTY POOR.

Mrs. Seraph Quinn, board and care of Jewitt Hill,	\$76 50
Elliot City Hospital, board and care of Mrs. Amidon,	34 90
A. W. Hopkins, medical attendance on Edward Calkins,	10 00
Ella J. Hatch, work for Edward Calkins,	12 00
E. Semira Crouch, board and care of Hannah Crouch,	18 00
Mrs. S. M. Smith, care of Mrs. Amidon,	11 00
A. W. Hopkins, medical attendance on Mrs. Amidon,	6 00
Mrs. M. A. Bates, care of Mrs. Amidon,	16 45
Goodnow & Aldrich, casket and services in Carey suicide,	18 00
George I. Cutler, services in Carey suicide,	2 25
A. W. Hopkins, medical attendance on Mrs. Ellen Willis,	6 00
Chas. Elgar, caring for Mrs. Willis,	15 00
Elliot City Hospital, care of Mrs. Willis,	10 00
Goodnow & Aldrich, casket and services for Mrs. Willis,	15 00
A. W. Hopkins, medical attendance on Mrs. Amidon,	32 00
George I. Cutler, medical attendance to Wm. Nickerson,	7 55
James Marsh, goods furnished Mrs. Amidon,	9 82
James Marsh, house rent furnished Martin Cram,	38 72
A. W. Hopkins, medical attendance to Martin Cram,	21 50
G. I. Cutler, medical attendance to Martin Cram,	30 25
Andrew LaFountain, conveying Cram boys to Westmore- land,	5 00
Geo. E. Adams, 2 pair overalls for Cram boys,	1 70
A. W. Hopkins, medical attendance on Mrs. Amidon,	40 00
Peter Lorando, board and care of Mrs. Zoel Emery,	21 00



James Marsh, goods furnished Edward Calkins,	39 67
A. W. Hopkins, medical attendance on Mrs. Amidon,	23 00
C. L. Lane, wood for Miss Haskell,	12 50
James Marsh, groceries furnished Charles E. Shelley,	14 26
A. A. Woodward, goods furnished Miss Haskell,	3 28
Louise J. Knight, milk furnished Miss Haskell,	3 05
Louise J. Knight, house rent for Miss Haskell,	6 00
Geo. I. Cutler, medical attendance to Wm. Nickerson,	2 75
Geo. I. Cutler, medical attendance to Edw. Calkins,	2 75
A. W. Hopkins, medical attendance to Mrs. Zoel Emery,	21 50
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	\$587 40

#### COUNTY AID TO DEPENDENT SOLDIERS.

Aid furnished Eben Tuttle,	\$52 00
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#### SUPPORT OF TOWN POOR.

Mrs. Morgan Stebbins, aid furnished,	\$50 00
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#### SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS.

Raised by taxation,	\$2,800 00
Literary fund,	207 68
Railroad tax,	166 29
Balance dog tax,	270 90
Supplies for schools,	300 00
Repairs on school property,	300 00
Extra school supplies, overdrawing in 1902,	172 30
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	\$4,217 17

#### TUITION FOR SCHOLARS.

W. C. Hall, treasurer, tuition to Keene high school, winter term, one scholar,	\$10 00
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W. C. Hall, treasurer, tuition to Keene high school, spring term,	210 00
W. C. Hall, treasurer, tuition to Keene high school, fall term,	190 00
W. C. Hall, treasurer, tuition to Keene high school, winter term,	180 00
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	\$590 00

#### HOLBROOK FARM ACCOUNT.

Amount due, Feb. 15, 1904,	\$50 00
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#### HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

A. A. Grogan, lighting bridge, and repairs on lamp,	\$30 50
A. G. Faulkner, breaking out sidewalk,	7 35
C. R. Worcester, lighting bridge and new lamp,	19 60
John W. Starkey, agent,	969 58
George W. Underwood, agent,	883 22
Charles A. Barden, agent,	823 06
George W. Sargent, fence railing for bridge,	14 11
A. G. Faulkner, snowing and lighting bridge at West- port,	26 35
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	\$2,773 77

#### EXPENSE OF SNOW ROLLERS.

George B. Robertson, 3 snow rollers,	\$265 00
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#### PUBLIC WATER.

George H. Gage, 1904,	\$3 00
W. H. Ward, 1904,	3 00

Geo. H. Fairbanks, 1904,	3 00
J. B. Porter, 1904,	3 00
O. D. Twitchell, 1904,	3 00
A. A. Morse, 1904,	3 00
E. C. Whitcomb, 1904,	3 00
A. H. Hamblett, 1904,	3 00
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	\$24 00

#### EXPENSE OF FIRE DEPARTMENT.

John Stanton, coal for engine house,	\$10 32
Spencer Hardware Co., tile,	8 00
E. B. Holbrook, work on river bank,	4 00
Edwin E. Bemis, wood for steamer,	7 00
W. F. Oakman, treasurer, services of firemen at brush fire,	38 49
F. H. Dickerman, keeping fire in steamer house, 1903-04,	25 00
Martin Mason, work repairing steamer house,	17 21
John Stanton, work on grounds with team,	9 70
Amos E. Beal, piling wood and cleaning room in engine house,	1 90
John Stanton, work on steamer house,	5 20
Ozro T. Thompson, work on steamer house,	2 37
West Swanzy Box Co., timber for engine house,	5 52
F. N. Stone, services of firemen on Westport mountain,	30 93
Kirk & Sewall, furnishings for steamer house,	4 18
F. N. Stone, cleaning steamer house,	1 05
Whitcomb Mfg. Co., lumber for steamer house,	1 72
Spencer Hardware Co., supplies for steamer house,	3 75
Goodnow & Aldrich, chairs and tables for steamer house,	17 20
M. A. Dickinson, work on steamer house,	7 78
Geo. W. Sargent, pipe fittings for steamer,	28 50
Geo. A. Seaver, windows for engine house,	1 75
F. N. Stone, work for fire department,	8 65
W. F. Oakman, services of firemen 1 year, and supplies,	92 00
F. N. Stone, services as fire ward, 1904,	9 07



John Stanton, work filling up tank in No. 11 school-house yard,	5 60
J. B. Porter, work filling up tank in No. 11 school-house yard,	6 48
S. R. Marcy, work filling up tank in No. 11 school-house yard,	2 70
Andrew LaFountain, moving steamer, and carrying men to fight fire,	4 00
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	\$360 07

#### EAST SWANZEY FIRE DEPARTMENT.

E. C. Whitcomb, treasurer, services of firemen,	\$100 00
J. M. Ramsdell, supplies for engine,	2 00
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	\$102 00

#### REPAIRING ENGINE HOUSE.

Report of building committee:	
F. O. Whitcomb, building contract,	\$618 00
Ozro Thompson, painting inside,	6 00
G. W. Sargent, pipe and fittings,	22 80
M. A. Dickinson, labor on pipes,	3 02
Balance returned to town,	18
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	\$650 00

M. A. Dickinson, N. C. Carter, O. Sprague, building committee.

#### SUPPORT OF TRAMPS.

Bigelow and Cantlin, keeping tramps,	\$4 50
A. L. Putney, keeping tramps,	1 50

Michael Corkery, keeping tramps,	14 45
Mrs. M. A. Evans, keeping tramps, 1903,	5 25
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	\$25 70

## CARE OF CEMETERIES.

J. O. Howard & Co., cemetery supplies,	\$4 37
B. C. Snow, work in cemetery and help paid,	18 25
F. O. Whitcomb, building doors in hearse house,	10 00
Ozro T. Thompson, painting doors, and furnishing stock,	1 78
George E. Adams, work in cemetery,	17 30
J. M. Stone, mowing cemetery,	8 00
J. H. Phillips, work in cemetery,	11 50
B. C. Snow, work in cemetery,	7 45
Silas R. Marcy, work in cemetery,	6 70
Whitcomb Mfg. Co., 4 posts for cemetery,	1 00
A. A. Morse, posts, and labor in cemetery,	17 16
C. R. Weeks, work in cemetery,	2 00
H. F. Whitcomb, work in cemetery,	2 00
Geo. W. Richardson, work on hearse house,	1 50
Spencer Hardware Co., wire for cemetery fence,	6 52
A. A. Morse, work in cemetery,	3 75
Andrew LaFountain, work in cemetery,	4 05
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	\$123 33

## DAMAGE DONE BY DOGS.

F. F. Downing, damage to sheep by dogs,	\$50 00
Mrs. Wm. Buttrick, damage to hens by dogs,	1 20
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	\$51 20

## DECORATION FUND.

Report of Memorial committee:	
Received of selectmen, appropriation 1904,	\$100 00

Paid L. P. Butler, for flowers,	44 90
Services of band,	30 00
Mr. Kimball for address,	10 00
Mr. Sargent, flags,	4 00
Mr. Kellogg,	3 00
J. B. Porter, teams,	2 25
G. E. Whitcomb, teams,	2 00
C. L. Lane, teams,	2 00
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	\$98 15
Balance,	1 85
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Herbert O. Young, treasurer.	\$100 00

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#### OLD HOME WEEK.

Report of committee:	
Received of selectmen, appropriation, 1904,	\$75 00
Paid West Swanzey band,	35 00
Races,	8 00
Use of piano,	4 00
Miss Wiswall, reading,	5 00
Miss Swan, singing,	5 00
Lumber, drawing and nails,	6 75
Ice,	75
Stamps, paper and tacks,	90
Work and help,	9 60
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	\$75 00

Mrs. J. L. Starkey, Hubbard M. Williams, James E. Handy,  
committee.

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#### STRATTON FREE LIBRARY.

Paid O. Sprague, trustee,	\$100 00
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## MISCELLANEOUS.

A. W. Hopkins, reporting births and deaths,	\$6 75
Sentinel Printing Co., auction bills,	1 25
E. B. Holbrook, telephoning, stamps, etc.,	4 08
Lucia E. Whitcomb, postage, 1903,	2 64
W. L. Metcalf, stationery and printing,	2 73
Chas. C. Buffum, furnishing list of conveyances of Meager land,	1 00
W. H. Litchfield, constable supplies,	10 00
E. B. Holbrook, building committee, 1903,	12 50
L. S. Talbot, janitor of town house,	4 00
Geo. E. Adams, copying taxes on invoice book,	5 00
B. C. Snow, work in Richardson park,	23 10
Anna L. Holbrook, copying taxes on collector's book,	3 00
Sentinel Printing Co., printing town reports,	50 40
Andrew LaFountain, services as watchman, etc.,	2 75
Rev. L. C. Kimball, reporting marriages,	1 00
Erdix S. Eastman, flag poles,	24 38
Mary S. Taft, over-tax,	82
Leon E. Stone, over-tax,	3 30
C. W. Taylor, damage to sleigh by defective highway,	3 00
M. C. Stone, wood for town house,	2 50
Almon Cass, sanding sidewalk,	1 65
Hubbard Williams, killing dog,	1 00
Frank E. Williams, appraising damage to sheep by dogs,	1 00
O. S. Eaton, appraising damage to sheep by dogs,	1 00
Spencer Hardware Co., paint stock for town house,	3 38
Andrew LaFountain, teams hired,	1 25
City of Keene, services of fire department,	127 10
A. A. Morse, labor on town house,	4 00
F. F. Downing, mowing town house lot,	75
Geo. W. Willis, abatement of taxes, 1903,	126 70
W. H. Spalter, stationery and collector's book, 1904,	32 68
Geo. I. Cutler, reporting births, deaths, and marriages to state and town,	18 95
E. B. Holbrook, telephoning, guide board furnished, etc.,	5 45

Sentinel Printing Co., printing cards for fire dept.,	5 50
A. A. Morse, bounty paid on hedgehogs,	5 50
Geo. E. Adams, bounty paid on hedgehogs,	7 75
E. B. Holbrook, bounty paid on hedgehogs,	36 25
W. F. Oakman, taking affidavits and selling town histories,	1 45
J. H. Phillips, fixing window in town house,	2 35
Nims, Whitney & Co., fixing window in town house,	1 65
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	\$549 56

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#### NOTES AND INTEREST PAID.

Winchester National Bank, note and interest,	\$1,035 31
Mrs. Belle Angier, note and interest,	1,346 00
Mrs. Mary Whitcomb, interest on note,	52 50
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	\$2,433 81

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#### STATE AND COUNTY TAX.

State tax,	\$867 00
County tax,	1,487 27

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#### RECAPITULATION.

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#### RECEIPTS.

Cash remaining in treasury Feb. 15, 1904,	\$370 72
A. A. Ware, fund from bank and interest,	310 59
George W. Willis, 1903 tax,	965 21
George W. Willis, interest on 1903,	50 84
County commissioners for county paupers,	721 85
County commissioners for dependent soldiers,	38 00
Andrew Hinds, cemetery lot,	5 00
W. F. Oakman, 1904 taxes,	13,080 00
George I. Cutler, dog tax,	274 15

Herbert O. Young, balance memorial fund,	1 85
William Merriman fund,	100 00
Grass from Richardson park,	3 10
State license commission, 1903-1904,	166 94
Cash from Andrew Carey estate,	40
Fayette Downing, 1902 tax and interest,	2 20
George A. Seaver, grass from cemetery,	2 00
Use of Engine House hall,	1 00
Andrew Carey estate, for furniture,	5 00
Railroad tax,	161 25
Savings bank tax,	260 95
Literary fund,	191 95
State, proportion of school fund,	467 00
Balance returned from school fund,	18
W. F. Oakman, sale of town histories,	6 00
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	\$17,186 18

#### DISBURSEMENTS.

Town officers,	\$973 33
Support of county poor,	587 40
Support of town poor,	50 00
County aid to dependent soldiers,	52 00
Support of schools,	3,617 17
Supplies for schools,	300 00
Repairs of school property,	300 00
Tuition for scholars,	590 00
Highways and bridges,	2,773 77
Snow rollers,	265 00
Public water,	24 00
Expense of West Swanzey Fire dept.,	360 07
Expense of East Swanzey Fire dept.,	102 00
Repairing steamer house,	650 00
Support of tramps,	25 70
Care of cemeteries,	123 33
Damage done by dogs,	51 20



Decoration fund,	100 00
Old Home Week,	75 00
Stratton Free library,	100 00
Miscellaneous,	549 56
Notes and interest paid,	2,433 81
State tax,	867 00
County tax,	1,487 27
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	\$16,457 61

## LIABILITIES.

Estimate due town officers,	\$750 00
Due schools, literary fund,	191 95
Due schools, railroad tax,	161 25
Due schools, balance dog tax,	222 95
Due schools, state proportion school fund,	467 00
Mrs. Mary Whitcomb, note,	1,500 00
Due Holbrook Farm, account,	50 00
Due A. A. Ware, cemetery fund,	300 00
Due Angela Woodbury, cemetery fund,	100 00
Due Manning Hunt, cemetery fund,	100 00
Due Harriet Lawrence, cemetery fund,	109 00
Due John Holbrook, cemetery fund,	200 00
Due Wm. Merriam, cemetery fund,	100 00
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	\$4,252 15

## ASSETS.

Cash remaining in treasury Feb. 15, 1905,	\$728 57
Cash remaining in collector's hands, 1904 taxes,	999 14
Due from County,	157 09
Harriet Lawrence, cemetery fund,	109 00
Due from state, bounty on hedgehogs,	49 50
Due from Golden Rod Grange, use of hall,	30 00
Due from janitor,	4 50
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	\$2,077 80

Total liabilities,	\$4,252 15
Total assets,	2,077 80
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Indebtedness of the town,	\$2,174 35

ANSIL A. MORSE,  
 GEORGE E. ADAMS,  
 EDWARD B. HOLBROOK,  
 • Selectmen of Swanzey.  
 EDWARD H. SNOW,  
 Treasurer.

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Having examined the foregoing accounts of the selectmen and treasurer I do hereby certify that I find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

WALTER E. MARSH,  
 Auditor.

# REPORT OF JOHN W. STARKEY, ROAD COMMISSIONER.

## FEBRUARY AND MARCH, 1904.

John W. Starkey, 112 hours,	\$22 40
Whitecomb Mfg. Co.'s team, 18 hours,	3 60
O. A. Starkey, 47 hours,	7 05
John Starkey's team, 45 hours,	4 50
Chester Starkey, 19 hours,	1 90
Herman Leonard, breaking roads,	3 00
W. Hinds, breaking roads,	2 00
A. A. Morse, cutting brush and breaking roads,	2 50
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	\$46 95

## APRIL.

John W. Starkey, 122 hours,	\$24 40
John W. Starkey's team, 36 hours,	3 60
C. A. Starkey, 91 hours,	9 10
Whitecomb Mfg. Co.'s team, 90 hours,	18 00
B. C. Snow, 75 hours,	11 25
Silas Marcy, 75 hours,	11 25
E. Bolles, 75 hours,	11 25
M. Bartlett and team, 75 hours,	26 25
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	\$115 10

## MAY.

John W. Starkey, 250 hours,	\$50 00
John W. Starkey's team, 60 hours,	6 00



Whitcomb Mfg. Co.'s team, 229 hours,	45 80
Silas Marcy, 220 hours,	33 00
B. C. Snow, 60 hours,	9 00
E. Bolles, 200 hours,	30 00
M. Bartlett and team, 140 hours,	49 00
Chester Starkey, 152 hours,	15 20
H. Leonard, 50 hours,	7 50
A. Faulkner and team, 40 hours,	14 00
Silas Leach, 40 hours,	6 00
B. C. Snow, plough point,	65
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	\$266 15

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### JUNE.

John W. Starkey, 247 hours,	\$49 40
Whitcomb Mfg. Co.'s team, 216 hours,	43 20
Silas Marcy, 206 hours,	30 90
E. Bolles, 217 hours,	32 55
Chester Starkey, 199 hours,	19 90
H. Leonard, 206 hours,	30 90
Silas Leach, 101 hours,	15 15
J. Stanton and team, 20 hours,	7 00
H. Hills and team, 20 hours,	7 00
J. O. Howard, powder,	50
Charles Weeks, drawing tile,	25
Whitcomb Mfg. Co., plank,	37 75
A. A. French, work,	6 75
Farr & Hicks, bill,	3 07
Spencer Hardware Co., tile,	39 80
Carter & Greenleaf, 48 loads gravel,	2 40
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	\$326 52

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### JULY AND AUGUST.

John W. Starkey, 119 hours,	\$23 80
Whitcomb Mfg. Co.'s team, 57 hours,	11 40

Chester Starkey, 57 hours,	5 70
E. Bolles, 120 hours,	18 00
H. Leonard, 120 hours,	18 00
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	\$76 90

## SEPTEMBER 1 TO DECEMBER 1.

John W. Starkey, 88 hours,	\$17 60
Whitcomb Mfg. Co.'s team, 10 hours,	2 00
John Hill, work,	2 10
Spencer & Co., tile,	5 44
C. R. Weeks, drawing tile,	25
H. E. Carter, crossing land,	1 00
West Swanzy Box Co., work on iron railing,	3 00
M. A. Dickinson and help, work on iron railing,	4 32
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	\$35 71

## JANUARY, 1905.

John W. Starkey, 91 hours,	\$18 20
John Hill, work,	6 75
C. A. Starkey, work,	3 50
Whitcomb Mfg. Co., team and help,	33 00
A. LaFountain, team and help, breaking roads,	2 50
B. C. Snow, work,	50
E. Bolles, 29 hours,	4 35
H. Whittemore, 17 hours,	2 55
M. Whittemore, 25 hours,	3 75
W. F. Oakman, work,	25
Geo. Gage, breaking roads,	1 65
Will Hewett, work,	50
Ansel Dickinson, 10 hours,	1 50
Whitcomb Mfg. Co., plank for bridge,	1 00
N. C. Carter and help, breaking road,	4 10

Martin Mason, work on bridge,	8 20
Whitcomb Mfg. Co., boards for bridge,	9 95
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	\$102 25

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#### RECAPITULATION.

Expenses for February and March,	\$46 95
Expenses for April,	115 10
Expenses for May,	266 15
Expenses for June,	326 52
Expenses for July and August,	76 90
Expenses from September 1st to December 1st,	35 71
Expenses for January, 1905,	102 25
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	\$969 58

REPORT OF  
G. L. UNDERWOOD, ROAD COMMISSIONER.

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MARCH.

G. L. Underwood, 90 hours,	\$18 00
E. A. Underwood, 60 hours,	9 00
J. E. Underwood, 10 hours,	1 50
Joe Harness, 35 hours,	5 25
Arthur Fish, 35 hours,	5 25
F. Thurber, care sidewalks, 37 hours,	9 25
C. R. Worcester, snow bridge,	5 00
G. L. Underwood, two teams, 60 hours,	24 00
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MAY.

G. L. Underwood, 120 hours,	\$24 00
Arthur Fish, 155 hours,	23 25
Joe Harness, 155 hours,	23 25
E. A. Underwood, 135 hours,	20 25
G. L. Underwood, two teams, 135 hours,	54 00
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JUNE.

G. L. Underwood, 120 hours,	\$24 00
E. A. Underwood, 150 hours,	22 50



John Lahiff, 145 hours,	21 75
Arthur Fish, 45 hours,	6 75
Alonzo Reed, 45 hours,	6 75
Mike Pluff, 10 hours,	1 50
G. L. Underwood, teams, 195 hours,	39 00
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	\$122 25

## JULY AND AUGUST.

G. L. Underwood, 240 hours,	\$48 00
E. A. Underwood, 265 hours,	39 75
Arthur Fish, 270 hours,	40 50
Dan Lahiff, 140 hours,	21 00
J. Phillips, 70 hours,	10 50
—— Thurber, 10 hours,	1 50
C. Brown, 20 hours,	3 00
G. L. Underwood, teams, 265 hours,	106 00
Whitcomb Mfg. Co., 2,778 ft. plank,	27 78
Charles Applin, 95 loads gravel,	4 75
John Stone, 106 loads gravel,	5 30
John Gero, 160 loads gravel,	24 00
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	\$332 08

## NOVEMBER.

G. L. Underwood, 80 hours,	\$16 00
Arthur Fish, 120 hours,	18 00
Dan Lahiff, 120 hours,	18 00
John Gero, 130 hours,	19 50
Whitcomb Mfg. Co., plank,	28 41
Knowlton & Stone, bill,	12 35
C. L. Lane,	5 00
J. E. Underwood, 45 hours,	6 75
G. L. Underwood, team, 100 hours,	20 00
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	\$144 01

## FEBRUARY.

G. L. Underwood, 60 hours,	\$12 00
Arthur Fish, 30 hours,	4 50
Dan Lahiff, 55 hours,	8 25
John Lahiff, 35 hours,	5 25
J. E. Underwood, 35 hours,	5 25
F. F. Downing, 30 hours,	4 50
F. F. Downing, team,	3 13
G. L. Underwood, two teams, 50 hours,	20 00
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	\$62 88

## RECAPITULATION.

March,	\$77 25
May,	144 75
June,	122 25
July and August,	332 08
November,	144 01
February,	62 88
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	\$883 22

REPORT OF  
C. A. BARDEN, ROAD COMMISSIONER.

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FEBRUARY TO MAY, 1904.

C. A. Barden, with team, 124½ hours,	\$49 80
C. A. Barden, 55 hours,	11 00
C. D. Barden, 10 hours,	1 25
W. I. Ballou, 92 hours,	13 80
J. F. Ballou, labor,	2 00
D. R. Blake, hanging lanterns,	1 00
J. W. Goodell, 85 hours,	12 75
O. D. Hale, 50 hours,	7 50
Edgar Handy, with team, 50 hours,	17 50
Wallace Handy, 40 hours,	6 00
J. M. Prentice, with team,	11 00
O. D. Twitchell, with team,	1 00
H. M. Williams, with team, 4 hours,	1 40
C. H. Applin, 122 loads gravel,	6 10
C. L. Lane, 217 ft. plank,	2 60
J. M. Read, 54 loads gravel,	2 70
A. A. Woodward, spikes,	33
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MAY.

C. A. Barden, with team, 55 hours,	\$22 00
C. A. Barden, 145 hours,	29 00
C. D. Barden, 10 hours,	1 25

W. I. Ballou, 30 hours,	4 50
J. W. Ballou, 105 hours,	15 75
Earl Ballou, 100 hours,	15 00
J. W. Goodell, 40 hours,	6 00
Edgar Handy, with team, 85 hours,	29 75
Percy Handy, 20 hours,	3 00
Arthur Handy, 10 hours,	1 50
C. L. Lane, with team, 50 hours,	17 50
F. J. Twitchell, team, 10 hours,	35 00
Telephoning and freight,	1 10
Spencer Hardware Co., paint for bridge,	3 00
C. A. Bouvier, repairs on scraper,	45
D. W. Whitcomb, gravel and snowing bridge,	4 25
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	\$189 05

## JUNE.

C. A. Barden, with team, 112½ hours,	\$45 00
C. A. Barden, 80 hours,	16 00
W. I. Ballou, 87 hours,	13 05
J. W. Ballou, 110 hours,	16 50
Earl Ballou, 20 hours,	3 00
Edgar Handy, 5 hours,	75
Percy Handy, 15 hours,	2 25
Arthur Handy, with team, 15 hours,	5 25
C. L. Lane, with team, 20 hours,	7 00
F. J. Twitchell, with team, 20 hours,	7 00
E. Naramore, 2,835 ft. chestnut plank,	56 70
C. L. Lane, 672 ft. plank,	8 06
Spencer Hardware Co., paint, picks and handles,	4 98
A. A. Woodward, 40 lbs. spikes,	1 30
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	\$186 84

## JULY.

C. A. Barden, with team, 27½ hours,	11 00
J. W. Ballou, 20 hours,	3 00



Edgar Handy, with team, 10 hours,	3 50
Percy Handy, 10 hours,	1 50
Arthur Handy, 10 hours,	1 50
Lowell Belding, 55 loads clay,	2 75
W. H. Perry, 7 loads earth,	35
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	\$23 60

## AUGUST.

C. A. Barden, with team, 50 hours,	\$20 00
H. S. Barden, 50 hours,	3 75
John Hadlock, scraper edge,	8 00
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	\$31 75

## SEPTEMBER.

C. A. Barden, with team, 75 hours,	\$30 00
W. I. Ballou, 29 hours,	4 35
J. W. Ballou, 73 hours,	10 95
C. H. Applin, 33 loads gravel,	1 65
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	\$46 95

## OCTOBER.

C. A. Barden, with team, 90 hours,	\$36 00
W. I. Ballou, 20 hours,	3 00
J. W. Ballou, 36 hours,	5 40
W. W. Hale, 20 hours,	3 00
W. H. Perry, 6 loads gravel,	30
C. L. Lane, 15 posts,	1 50
A. A. Woodward, 25 lbs, spikes,	69
G. E. Whitcomb, railings,	1 00
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	\$50 89

## NOVEMBER.

C. A. Barden, with team, 35 hours,	\$14 00
C. A. Barden, 30 hours,	6 00
W. I. Ballou, 25 hours,	3 75
W. W. Hale, 20 hours,	3 00
C. L. Lane, plank and sawing stringers,	4 25
E. C. Whitcomb, 115 ft. oak logs,	13 80
E. C. Whitcomb, with team, 2 hours,	70
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	\$45 50

## DECEMBER 1 TO FEBRUARY 15.

For breaking road:

C. A. Barden, with team, 30 hours,	\$12 00
C. A. Barden, 42 hours,	8 40
C. D. Barden, with team, 3 hours,	1 05
C. D. Barden, 17 hours,	2 55
W. I. Ballou, with team, 6 hours,	2 10
W. I. Ballou, 18 hours,	2 70
F. E. Ballou, self and man, 17 hours,	5 10
J. W. Ballou, 5 hours,	75
O. R. Farr, with team, 60 hours,	21 00
O. R. Farr, getting roller,	1 50
Percey W. Farr, $2\frac{1}{2}$ hours,	30
W. W. Hale, shoveling snow,	25
C. L. Lane, with team, 53 hours,	18 55
J. M. Prentice, labor,	11 95
W. J. Twitchell, with team, 8 hours,	2 80
A. A. Whitcomb and man,	1 00
E. C. Whitcomb and man, with team, $17\frac{1}{2}$ hours,	8 75
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	\$100 75

## RECAPITULATION.

February to May, 1904,	\$147 73
May,	189 05
June,	186 84
July,	23 60
August,	31 75
September,	46 95
October,	50 89
November,	45 50
From December <u>1</u> st to February 15th,	100 75
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	\$823 06

## REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD.

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The following report of schools for the official year just closed and a statistical table for the school year ending August, 1904, are respectfully submitted by the school board.

As nearly as was practicable, the schools have been continued in the same order as last year. Four schools have been supported at West Swanzey, and one each at Nos. 1, 2, 5 and 7. The school at No. 9 was kept during the spring and fall but owing to the prevalence of sickness among the pupils, it was not opened for the winter term. This change made it necessary to open No. 8 for a winter term, in order to provide a suitable school privilege for a limited number of children who would otherwise have found much difficulty in attending through the cold season with any regularity, on account of distance.

The school at No. 7 attained such proportions that it became impossible for due attention to be given to all its classes. Nearly all the grades were represented and the number of classes, necessitated thereby, was so large that they could not receive any approach to adequate instruction under one teacher. It was, therefore, thought best to employ an assistant teacher. This was done about the middle of the fall term and continued through the winter term. The arrangement proved satisfactory and by means of it, the school has been enabled to do much more profitable work than before.

The average number of weeks of school for the year has been 32.77. The number of pupils registered in September, the beginning of the school year, was 302 which is about the same as the number last year.

In October, an enumeration of children was made, as is required by the state. The enumeration officer reported a list of 273



children in town, aged 5 to 14 inclusive. This report cannot be expected to correspond exactly to the number of pupils registered, owing to the fact that some of the younger children, included in the report, do not attend school, while some pupils, attending school, are older than those called for by the enumeration.

Our people have shown their appreciation of the law providing for the payment, by towns, of high school tuition, by sending a good number of scholars to Keene and elsewhere for high school privileges. This law is a long step forward in the advancement of the cause of education, opening, as it does, the door for many to obtain something beyond the grammar school and, for some, so far-reaching is it in its effect, to find their way to college. Would that other steps, equally desirable, might be taken speedily. There is no responsibility, resting upon the shoulders of the citizens of any town or city, which is so great as that of providing for the education of its young people.

It is they who are soon to hold, in their hands, the management of town, state, and perhaps national affairs, and we cannot afford to do less than our best to train them to be wise and intelligent citizens.

On the 10th of December last, notice was received by the school board that the sum of \$467 had been apportioned, from the state tax, in addition to the amount usually received, to the town of Swanzey to be applied to the support of schools. The notice included a caution against lowering the amount of the regular appropriations for school purposes as the contribution was intended to increase the efficiency of schools rather than to relieve towns of taxation. Further contributions from the same source will be somewhat dependent upon our worthiness to receive them, as demonstrated by the use which is made of this one. Friends of education will appreciate this addition to our resources.

The school district has twice voted upon the subject of employing a superintendent of schools, the article being defeated at each time of voting. It would be well if each voter should keep himself or herself informed upon the results of superintendence in different places in order to be prepared to vote understandingly upon this question.

In conclusion we would commend our teachers for efficient, conscientious work and many of the scholars for faithful interest in their schools. Several scholars have a record of attendance, without absence or tardiness, for the entire year.

JESSIE H. MARSH,  
LUCIA E. WHITCOMB,  
GEORGE I. CUTLER,  
School Board.

## FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1905.

### SCHOOL No. 1.

Miss Stella J. Cherry, teacher for the spring term.

Miss Alice E. Ramsdell, teacher, fall and winter terms.

	Spring Term.	Fall Term.	Winter Term.
Length of school in weeks,	11	15	6
Number of pupils,	35	36	37
Average daily attendance,	29	31	31
Number of cases of tardiness,	39	46	18
Wages of teacher per month,	\$34	\$32	\$34

Roll of perfect attendance: Spring term—Walter Bedaw, Carl Christopherson, Thomas Harrocks, Helen Ward. Fall term—Hazel Nash, Nina Nash, Thomas Harrocks. Winter term—Carl Christopherson, Roy Atwood, Nina Nash, Hazel Nash, Henry Carver, Helen Ward, Gertrude Spencer, Thomas Harrocks, Karl Underwood, Paul Underwood.

### SCHOOL No. 2.

Miss Lena E. Preston, teacher, spring term.

Miss Grace E. Harwood, teacher, fall and winter term.

	Spring Term.	Fall Term.	Winter Term.
Length of school in weeks,	11	15	6
Number of pupils,	32	32	26
Average daily attendance,	30	30	22
Number of cases of tardiness,	3	11	2
Wages of teacher, per month,	\$36.00.		

Roll of perfect attendance: Spring term—Faith Ramsdell, Mary Underwood, Agnes Martin, Phyllis Lang, Julia Simino, Harold Barden, Raymond Bouvier, John Hale, Robbie Martin, Clayton Simino, Raymond Lane, Harold Lang, Cecil Lang. Fall term—Raymond Bouvier, Raymond Lane, Harold Barden, Leslie Farr, Clayton Simino, Walter Simino, Harold Lang, Harry Streeter, Faith Ramsdell, Mary Woodward, Agnes Martin, Gertrude Simino, Gladys Marsh, Phyllis Lang, Maud Streeter. Winter term—Faith Ramsdell, Walter Simino, Clayton Simino, Raymond Lane, Olive Cass, Mary Woodward.

#### SCHOOL No. 5.

Miss Katherine F. Foley, teacher for the year.

	Spring Term.	Fall Term.	Winter Term.
Length of school in weeks,	11	15	7
Number of scholars,	20	21	20
Average daily attendance,	18	16	13
Number of cases of tardiness,	7	14	6
Wages of teacher per month,	\$32	\$30	\$30

Roll of perfect attendance: Spring term—Ethel Downing, Ruth Hill, Ruth Moore, Harold Talbot, Addie Thurber. Fall term—Ethel Downing, Etta Talbot, Addie Thurber, Inez Thurber, Harold Talbot. Winter term—Harold Talbot.

#### SCHOOL No. 7.

Miss Margaret V. Grogan, teacher, spring term.

Miss Emma C. Fisher, teacher, fall and winter terms.

Mrs. Nellie L. Sparhawk, assistant, fall term.

Miss Zoella Phelps, assistant, winter term.

	Spring Term.	Fall Term.	Winter Term.
Length of school in weeks,	11	15	7
Number of pupils,	45	46	35
Average daily attendance,	35	33	30
Number of cases of tardiness,	5	71	19
Wages of teacher, per month,	\$34	\$36	\$36

Roll of perfect attendance: Spring term—Wesley Amadon, Allen Bloom, Oscar Bloom, Maurice Bloom, Wayne Holbrook, Maurice Hildreth, Alvah Higgins, Barnum Sawyer, Margaret

Marsh, Amy Rixford, Lelia Emerson, Ellen Ellor, Alice Ellor, Cynthia French, Beatrice Faulkner, Olive Faulkner, Hattie Barlow, George Willard. Fall term—Margaret Marsh, Wayne Holbrook, Alice Ellor, Ellen Ellor, Richard Frink. Winter term—Alice Cram, Alice Ellor, Ellen Ellor, Marion Marsh, Oscar Bloom, Maurice Bloom.

#### SCHOOL No. 8.

Miss Mary Atkinson, teacher.

	Winter Term.
Length of school in weeks,	7
Number of pupils,	10
Average daily attendance,	7
Number of cases of tardiness,	8
Wages of teacher, per month, \$24.00.	

#### SCHOOL No. 9.

Miss Zoella Phelps, teacher for two terms.

	Spring Term.	Fall Term.
Length of school in weeks,	11	15
Number of pupils,	20	22
Average daily attendance,	16	21
Number of cases of tardiness,	0	9
Wages of teacher, per month,	\$28	\$30

Roll of perfect attendance: Spring term—Gertrude Williams, Gladys Starkey, Myrtie Starkey, Herman Taylor, Wallace Dunn. Fall term—Gladys Starkey.

#### SCHOOL No. 11—PRIMARY.

Miss Carrie L. Wyman, teacher for the year.

	Spring Term.	Fall Term.	Winter Term.
Length of school in weeks,	11	11	11
Number of pupils,	47	28	26
Average daily attendance,	40	24	20
Number of cases of tardiness,	8	5	5

Wages of teacher, per month, \$34.00.

Roll of perfect attendance: Spring term—Cecil Backus, Carroll Crouch, Charlie Fletcher, Londro Hill, Francis Porter, Marjory Oakman. Fall term—Alonzo Hill, Margaret Grogan, Marion Greenleaf. Winter term—Marion Greenleaf, Harry Worcester.



## SCHOOL No. 11—INTERMEDIATE.

Miss Susie A. Hanrahan, teacher for the year.

	Spring Term.	Fall Term.	Winter Term.
Length of schools in weeks,	11	11	11
Number of pupils,	35	43	37
Average daily attendance,	32	37	31
Number of cases of tardiness,	4	9	16
Wages of teacher, per month,	\$32	\$34	\$34

Roll of perfect attendance: Spring term—Ethel Backus, Bessie Hewett, Blanche Pickett, Lena Starkey, Herbert Atwood, George Conboy, Ernest Gallagher, Walter Kingsbury, Carroll Plimpton, Clifford Rolfe, Albert Swan. Fall term—Mildred Burt, Marjory Oakman, Guy Burt, George Conboy, Charles Fletcher, Byron Porter, Harold Quigley. Winter term—Ora Duguay, Harold Quigley, Clifford Rolf, Leverett Rolf.

## SCHOOL No. 11—SECOND GRAMMAR.

Miss Mary E. Mason, teacher, spring term.

Miss Margaret V. Grogan, teacher, fall and winter term.

	Spring Term.	Fall Term.	Winter Term.
Length of school in weeks,	11	11	11
Number of pupils,	42	44	47
Average daily attendance,	40	40	39
Number of cases of tardiness,	1	7	6
Wages of teacher, per month,	\$40	\$36	\$36

Roll of perfect attendance: Spring term—Charles Hayes, Harry Leonard, Ernest Pyne, Chester Stephenson, Charles Whitcomb, George Backus, Belle Atwood, Alice Fassett, Florence Greenleaf, Jennie Hayes, Lena Lorando, Dora Marshall, Lena Normandie, Estella Preston, Fannie Porter, Rosetta Rixford, Rhoda Rugg. Fall term—John A. Hayes, Addie Pelkey, Fannie Porter, Estella Preston, Rosetta Rixford, Oliver Rolfe. Winter term—Vernal English, Florence Greenleaf, Stella Pyne, Joseph Patnode, Rosetta Rixford.

## SCHOOL No. 11—FIRST GRAMMAR.

Leander H. Roscoe, teacher for the year.

	Spring Term.	Fall Term.	Winter Term.
Length of school in weeks,	11	11	11
Number of pupils,	26	30	30
Average daily attendance,	25	28	26
Number of cases of tardiness,	3	6	7

Wages of teacher, per month, \$50.00.

Roll of perfect attendance: Spring term—Eva Cass, Jennie Duguay, Kathryn Hanrahan, Edith Holbrook, Mattie LaFountain, Gretchen Leonard, Birdie Patnode, Ora Rixford, Pearl Wyman, Leon Beal, Clifford Cantlin, Martin Hanrahan, Frank Oakman, Cleon Seaver, Maurice Sparhawk, Forrest Thompson, Clarence Worcester, Ellis Wyman. Fall term—Eva Cass, Alice Hanrahan, Edith Holbrook, Lena Lorando, Edna Whitcomb, Pearl Wyman, Charles Hayes, Frank Oakman, Ernest Pyne, Clarence Worcester. Winter term—Eva Cass, Edith Holbrook, Edna Whitcomb, Leon Beal, Charles Hayes, Frank Oakman, Ernest Pyne, Clarence Worcester, Robert Howe.

STATISTICAL TABLE FOR THE YEAR ENDING AUGUST, 1904.

No. of School.	Teachers.	Terms.	No. of weeks.	Wages of teachers per month.	No. of pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Average daily attendance.	Percent of attendance.	Not tardy or absent.	Reading and spelling.	Writing.	Arithmetic.	Geography.	Grammar.	History.	Physiology.	Book-keeping.	Algebra.	Latin.	Zoology.	Rhetoric.	Vocal music.	Visits by school board.	Visits by others.
1..	Stella J. Cherry.....	1st.	12	\$32.34	17	17	29	92.70	2	29	20	27	27	9	11	3	2.34	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28	84	11
1..	Stella J. Cherry.....	2d.	11	32.38	22	16	27	82.88	1	33	20	33	33	13	14	8	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	34	34	19
1..	Stella J. Cherry.....	3d.	11	34.35	19	13	29	91.32	4	32	15	32	15	8	8	7	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	32	32	34
2..	Lena E. Preston.....	1st.	12	36.27	15	12	24	95.95	6	25	26	22	22	6	9	8	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17
2..	Lena E. Preston.....	2d.	11	36.28	16	12	22	89.40	8	25	23	23	23	10	11	12	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10
2..	Lena E. Preston.....	3d.	11	36.32	18	14	30	93.70	13	32	32	32	32	14	14	12	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	45
3..	Katherine F. Foley.....	1st.	15	28.19	6	13	15	90.21	3	11	11	11	11	8	9	4	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	44
3..	Katherine F. Foley.....	2d.	18	28.15	9	11	17	97.3	3	11	11	11	11	10	10	2	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11
3..	Katherine F. Foley.....	3d.	11	32.20	7	13	18	93.49	5	16	16	16	16	8	9	2	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	29
5..	Margaret V. Grogan.....	1st.	15	34.29	13	16	22	92.45	7	30	30	29	24	9	13	4	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	21
7..	Margaret V. Grogan.....	2d.	17	34.24	12	12	21	87.63	12	24	24	24	24	9	12	10	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13
7..	Margaret V. Grogan.....	3d.	11	34.42	20	22	35	95.05	19	42	42	42	42	15	18	9	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	27
9..	Viola F. True.....	1st.	9	28.20	7	11	13	87.91	3	17	17	17	17	16	16	5	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9
9..	Zoella Phelps.....	2d.	14	28.18	7	11	13	87.91	5	15	18	18	18	13	14	8	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10
9..	Zoella Phelps.....	3d.	11	28.20	8	12	16	93.06	3	17	17	17	17	16	16	5	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28
11..	Laura A. True*.....	1st.	15	34.45	22	23	32	89.65	4	46	46	46	46	18	18	8	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	32
11..	Laura A. True*.....	2d.	17	34.33	18	15	21	66.39	4	46	46	46	46	18	18	8	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6
11..	Carrie L. Wynan*.....	3d.	11	34.47	23	24	40	87.	6	47	47	47	47	47	47	47	47	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	29
11..	Susie A. Hanrahan.....	1st.	15	32.33	15	18	29	93.72	3	33	33	33	33	33	33	33	33	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4
11..	Susie A. Hanrahan.....	2d.	7	32.34	16	18	26	77.2	3	34	34	34	34	34	34	34	34	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17
11..	Susie A. Hanrahan.....	3d.	11	32.35	16	19	32	93.57	11	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5
11..	Alice G. Felch.....	1st.	15	36.41	21	20	37	97.19	18	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16
11..	Mary E. Mason.....	1st.	15	36.38	21	17	34	92.5	18	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22
11..	Mary E. Mason.....	2d.	7	40.42	22	20	40	96.5	17	42	42	42	42	42	42	42	42	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23
11..	Mary E. Mason.....	3d.	11	40.42	22	20	40	96.5	17	42	42	42	42	42	42	42	42	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5
11..	Leander H. Roscoe.....	1st.	15	50.28	12	16	26	94.5	10	28	28	28	28	21	21	21	21	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3
11..	Leander H. Roscoe.....	2d.	8	50.28	12	16	26	94.5	10	28	28	28	28	21	21	21	21	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	31
11..	Leander H. Roscoe.....	3d.	11	50.26	11	15	25	96.18	18	28	28	28	28	21	21	21	21	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	24
11..	Leander H. Roscoe.....	3d.	11	50.26	11	15	25	96.18	18	28	28	28	28	21	21	21	21	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18

\* Primary. † Intermediate. ‡ 2d Grammar. § 1st Grammar.

## REPORT OF SCHOOL TREASURER.

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### SCHOOL MONEY RECEIVED.

Balance from last year,	\$142 23
Town appropriation,	2,800 00
Literary fund,	207 68
Dog tax,	270 90
Railroad tax,	166 29
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### MONEY DISBURSED.

#### SCHOOL No. 1.

Stella J. Cherry, teaching spring term,	\$93 50
Alice Ramsdell, teaching 2 terms,	171 00
Stella J. Cherry, janitor,	19 25
Alice Ramsdell, janitor, 2 terms,	15 75
G. L. Underwood, $11\frac{3}{4}$ cords of wood,	56 05
C. R. Weeks, wood,	5 00
Mrs. George Ballou, cleaning schoolhouse,	3 00
A. T. Fish, conveying scholars,	76 80
Robert Eastman, conveying scholars,	21 92
Michael Pluff, conveying scholars,	14 56
John F. Ballou, 1 cord wood,	6 00
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#### SCHOOL No. 2.

Lena E. Preston, teaching spring term,	\$99 00
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Grace Harwood, teaching 2 terms,	189 00
Lena E. Preston, janitor, spring term,	3 30
Clayton Simino, janitor, 2 terms,	8 48
Zina Taft, 3½ cords wood,	15 75
John F. Ballou, 1 cord wood,	5 00
John F. Ballou, conveying scholars,	26 00
A. A. Woodward, broom, snow shovel, etc.,	2 69
W. W. Hinds, conveying scholars,	6 50
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	\$355 72

## SCHOOL No. 5.

Katherine Foley, teaching 3 terms,	\$253 00
Mrs. C. R. Worcester, janitor, 3 terms, broom,	8 30
Mrs. C. R. Worcester, cleaning schoolhouse,	2 00
George E. Adams, 4 cords of wood, sawing, splitting, etc.,	18 00
C. R. Weeks, wood,	5 00
Nelson Barcomb, conveying scholars,	16 40
Mrs. H. Goodell, conveying scholars,	4 64
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	\$307 34

## SCHOOL No. 7.

Margaret V. Grogan, teaching 1 term,	\$93 50
Emma C. Fisher, teaching 2 terms,	198 00
Mrs. J. W. Sparhawk, assistant teacher, 8 weeks,	24 80
Zoella Phelps, assistant teacher, 7 weeks,	42 00
Mrs. Mertie Weeks, janitor, 3 terms, and use of pump,	10 10
Mrs. Mertie Weeks, cleaning schoolhouse and work,	3 00
C. R. Weeks, wood,	1 50
Z. G. Taft, 3 cords wood,	13 50
Lula A. Brown, conveying scholars,	14 00
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	\$400 40

## SCHOOL No. 8.

Mary Atkinson, teaching winter term,	\$42 00
Isabel Prentice, kindlings, cleaning, and janitor,	4 50
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	\$46 50



## SCHOOL No. 9.

Zoella Phelps, teaching 2 terms,	\$183 50
Theo Twitchell, janitor,	3 94
Carl O'Brien, janitor,	1 50
Mrs. Frank Ballou, janitor,	1 80
Rilla Ballou, washing windows and work,	1 00
John E. Bourne, washing windows and work,	3 50
H. N. Carlton, sawing wood and repairing door,	1 00
L. Lowell Belding, conveying scholars,	180 00
Z. G. Taft, 3 cords wood,	13 50
A. A. Woodward, broom, pail, etc.,	1 46
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	\$391 20

## SCHOOL No. 11.

L. H. Roscoe, teaching 3 terms,	\$412 50
Mary E. Mason, teaching spring term,	110 00
Margaret V. Grogan, teaching 2 terms,	198 00
Susie Hanrahan, teaching 3 terms,	275 00
Carrie L. Wyman, teaching 3 terms,	280 50
Ellis H. Wyman, janitor, spring term,	16 50
Leon E. Beal, janitor and extra work, 2 terms,	39 25
Adela L. Taylor, cleaning schoolhouse,	11 37
Leon E. Beal, putting wood into cellar,	75
Clarence Worcester, packing wood,	25
John Stanton, 12 tons coal,	88 20
C. R. Weeks, wood,	5 00
E. E. Bemis, $7\frac{1}{2}$ cords wood,	37 50
O. J. Verry, 4 loads wood,	8 50
Alfred Talbot, conveying scholars, (1904),	25 40
Alfred Talbot, conveying scholars,	13 20
H. C. Atwood, conveying scholars,	52 20
George Crouch, conveying scholars,	24 40
Farr & Hicks, brooms, pails, etc.,	1 84
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	\$1,600 36

## MISCELLANEOUS.

E. B. Holbrook, enumeration of scholars,	\$10 00
Sentinel Printing Co., order blanks and labels,	3 50
Express and freight on school supplies,	13 31
G. & C. Merriam Co., 5 dictionaries,	42 50
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	\$69 31
Amount received,	\$3,587 10
State appropriation due from town,	467 00
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	\$4,054 10
Amount expended,	3,653 66
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Balance due schools,	\$400 44

## SUPPORT AND REPAIRS OF SCHOOL PROPERTY.

## RECEIPTS.

Balance from last year,	\$51 69
Town appropriation,	300 00
For damage to school property,	70
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	\$352 39

## MONEY DISBURSED.

## SCHOOL No. 1.

O. L. Haskell, repairs,	\$2 65
Pearson Brothers, repairs and stock furnished,	7 57
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	\$10 22

## SCHOOL No. 2.

Zina Taft, material and work,	\$2 10
William Hinds, freight and express on repair stock,	1 40
John C. Bourne, repairs on black-boards,	3 00

Ozro Thompson, work and stock,	4 00
A. A. Woodward, locks and repairs,	50

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\$11 00

## SCHOOL No. 5.

C. R. Worcester, work,	\$1 00
G. W. Draper, setting glass,	50
G. W. Draper, repairs and stock,	1 60
Mrs. C. R. Worcester, glass,	52
O. J. Howard & Co., 1 table,	3 00

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\$6 62

## SCHOOL No. 7.

Granville Wardwell, 48 yds. border,	\$1 92
Leon Ellor, work and repairs,	40
Alfred Talbot, plastering material and work,	6 00
Luke Ellor, cutting brush around schoolhouse,	2 16
C. N. Eames, repairs and stock furnished,	20 00
Nims, Whitney & Co., work and material,	6 38
C. R. Weeks, stock and work,	2 00
O. J. Howard, 1 table,	2 50

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\$41 36

## SCHOOL No. 9.

G. R. Worsley, work and repairs,	\$2 25
H. E. Fay, 1 clock,	3 50
Joseph E. Long, repairs,	5 50
H. M. Carlton, repairs and stock,	25 56
Ozro Thompson, work and stock,	6 05
A. A. Woodward, nails, glass, etc.,	90
John C. Bourne, repairing windows and stock,	2 30

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\$46 06

## SCHOOL No. 10.

John C. Bourne, setting glass and fixing blind,	\$1 00
A. A. Woodward, glass,	54

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\$1 54

## SCHOOL No. 11.

George Seaver, repairs and stock,	\$38 03
Whitcomb Mfg. Co., work with team,	8 40
George Richardson, work and stock,	12 82
George W. Barrett, cleaning well,	2 50
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	\$61 75
Amount received,	\$352 39
Amount expended,	178 55
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Balance in treasury,	\$173 84

## TEXT-BOOKS AND SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

## RECEIPTS.

Town appropriation,	\$300 00
Sale of books,	33
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	\$300 33

## EXPENSES.

Milton Bradley Co., school supplies,	\$32 30
The American Book Co., text-books,	117 71
Edward E. Babb & Co., school supplies,	45 42
Ginn & Co., text-books,	104 69
Silver, Burdett & Co., text-books,	5 40
Thompson, Brown & Co., school supplies,	1 50
Maynard, Merrill & Co., books on literature,	2 00
D. C. Heath & Co., 12 U. S. histories,	6 00
W. H. Spalter, school supplies,	23 72
J. L. Hammett Co., supplies,	40
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	\$339 14

Amount received,	\$300 33
Amount due school treasurer,	38 81
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	\$339 14
Amount expended,	\$339 14

### RECAPITULATION.

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Expended in School No. 1,	\$493 05
Expended in School No. 2,	366 72
Expended in School No. 5,	313 96
Expended in School No. 7,	441 76
Expended in School No. 8, 1 term,	46 50
Expended in School No. 9, 2 terms,	437 26
Expended in School No. 10,	1 54
Expended in School No. 11, 4 grades,	1,662 11
School supplies,	339 14
Miscellaneous expenses,	69 31
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	\$4,171 35

JULIA E. SNOW,  
Treasurer.

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Having examined the foregoing accounts, I find them correctly cast and well vouched.

WALTER E. MARSH,  
Auditor.



## VITAL STATISTICS.

*To the Selectmen:*

In compliance with an act of the legislature, passed June session, 1887, amended by the legislature of 1899, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report," I hereby submit the following:

# BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF SWANZEY, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1904.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any).	Sex and Condition.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
		Male or Female.	No. of Child Living or Stillborn.							
Jan. 12	Horace Oliver	M	3	Walter W. Hale	Laura W. Bartlett	Farmer	Swanzy	Swanzy	30	28
" 31	Peter Gatas	M	1	Frank Gatas	Kiedy Parda	Laborer	Poland, Russia	Poland, Russia	27	23
Feb. 9	Christine Gladys	F	3	Griffith S. Parker	Bunice A. Ellis	"	Roxbury	Roxbury	28	23
" 13	"	F	1	Wm. E. Tacy	Mary Fatnode	Fireman	Asnecot	Asnecot	30	19
" 14	"	F	7	John A. Morris	Addie Chase	Machinist	England	Gainsfort, N. Y.	43	36
Mar. 9	Elwood Taylor	M	2	Milan A. Dickinson	Josie E. Taylor	Manufacturer	Winchester	Cheserfield	32	29
" 29	Warren Conboy	M	3	Edward S. Ruffle	Josephine V. Conboy	Mechanic	Troy	Swanzy	26	26
Apr. 2	Madge Emily	F	2	Henry T. Rixford	Medora L. Taylor	Teamster	Swanzy	"	47	37
" 8	Hazel Irene	F	4	Joseph Bedard	Lucy Heath	R. R. Operative	St. Alban P. O. Ca	Keene	40	37
" 13	Adolph	M	1	Alek Tackina	Anna Kibus	Laborer	Poland, Russia	Germany	24	23
" 13	Elizabeth Minerva	F	2	Walter F. Rolfe	Orrie Bunce	Boxmaker	New Ipswich	Jaffrey	31	22
June 21	Edwin Barzilia	M	5	Rufus E. Whitney	Mary B. Goodell	Mechanic	Atthol, Ms.	Swanzy	31	29
" 22	Bernard Hadley	M	1	Geo. R. Monckton	Beatrice R. Hadley	Loom-fixer	Forrest Dale, Vt.	England	32	23
July 3	Paul Sprague	M	1	Harold E. Foster	Bertha E. Sprague	Teacher	E. Westmoreland	Swanzy	36	24
" 6	Fred M.	M	3	Fred M. Pluff	Annie Dagie	Mechanic	So. Keene	Canada	30	28
Aug. 11	Charles Horace	F	2	Barnard Carey	Eva Royce	Laborer	Cheserfield	Cheserfield	24	21
Sept. 8	"	M	1	Herbert L. Lawrence	Lucy A. Kingsbury	Farmer	Winchester	Newport	36	19
" 10	Harlan Edward	M	9	John O'Brien	Abbie M. Ripley	Merchant	E. Boston, Ms.	Swanzy	50	48
" 11	"	M	1	Edwin J. Bates	Agnes M. Bryant	Merchant	Swanzy	Winchester	30	28
" 18	Agnes Henrietta	F	10	E. La Reau	Regina Bessett	Lum. Contractor	Canada	Canada	41	40
Oct. 11	"	F	4	Almon G. Faulkner	Villa Wilmoth	Farmer	Westport	Shrewsbury, Vt.	44	39
" 20	Richard Harold	M	5	John Croftto	Rose Onellette	"	Roxbury	Somerset, P. O.	29	27
" 25	Blanch Lillian	F	2	Ernest W. Page	Lillian V. Bushey	Paill turner	Swanzy	Monkton, Vt.	26	28
Nov. 7	Kenneth Joseph	M	4	Albert J. Plummer	Hattie E. Sawyer	Barber	Winchester	Swanzy	35	36
" 23	Benjamin Needham	M	5	Richard A. Grogan	Margaret J. Quinn	Laborer	Swanzy	Keene	24	24
" 28	Marjorie Vera	F	1	Arthur R. Cole	Carrie A. Hildreth	"	Northfield, Ms.	"	30	23
Dec. 17	Louise Antoinette	F	1	Wilbur D. Worcester	Lena F. M'Ewan	Boxmaker	Atthol, Ms.	Chelmsford, Ms.	28	22
" 29	Kenneth Clarence	M	1	Eugene Smithers	Eliza L. Sayward	Farmer	Hewbloton, N. Y.	Gloucester, Ms.	32	26
" 31	Eloise Luna	F	4	Andrew La Fountain	Cressie E. Eames	Teamster	Vergennes, Vt.	Swanzy	26	20
" 31	"	M	4	Andrew La Fountain	Minnie A. Pollard	Liveryman	Vergennes, Vt.	Lincoln, Vt.	42	32

# MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF SWANZEY, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1904.

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in years.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Condition.*	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
Feb. 17	Marlboro	Arthur C. Gage	W. Swanzy	31	Farmer	Petersham, Ms.	George H. Gage	Athol, Ms.	1st	Rev. A. M. Markey
	"	Eliza L. Sayward	Melrose, Ms.	25	Governess	Gloucester, Ms.	Ella A. Rich	Irving, Ms.	1st	Marlboro
Mar. 9	Swanzy	George C. Brown	Swanzy	22	Teamster	E. Dover, Vt.	Samuel Sayward	Kingston	1st	Rev. L. C. Kimball
" 19	Troy	Lula A. Prentice	"	18	At home	Swanzy	Herman Brown	E. Dover, Vt.	1st	Swanzy
	"	Melvin W. Nott	"	29	Mechanic	Springfield, Vt.	Ella M. Perry	Lake George	1st	Swanzy
May 7	Keene	Flora F. Pratt	Troy	26	Housework	Amherst, Ms.	John M. Prentice	Winchester	1st	Rev. H. S. Kimball
	"	Arthur A. Williams	Cochituate, Ms.	24	Manufacturer	N. Easton, Ms.	Isabel M. Ballou	Swanzy	1st	Troy
" 21	Swanzy	Charles Marsh	Swanzy	22	At home	Ayer, Ms.	Phoebe H. Rumrill	Bartonsville, Vt.	2d	Rev. A. H. Wheeler
	"	Corra L. Dunn	"	30	Housekeeping	Brownington, Vt.	George Pratt	Belchertown, Ms.	1st	Keene
June 16	"	Frank R. Harvey	W. Dover, Vt.	19	Lumberman	Whitingham, Vt.	Carrie F. Read	New York	1st	Rev. L. C. Kimball
July 8	"	Margaret Brockway	"	19	Housework	Brattleboro, Vt.	Hannah J. Allen	Brocton, Ms.	1st	Swanzy
	"	Frederick P. Goodell	Swanzy	25	Mill work	Swanzy	Philip Sampson	Boston, Ms.	1st	Swanzy
Aug. 10	Marlboro	Grace A. Rudolph	Fitchburg, Ms.	27	Housekeeping	Marlboro	Charles Marsh	Providence, R. I.	1st	Rev. B. F. Kellogg
	"	Earle W. Capron	Swanzy	20	Mechanic	Swanzy	Grace M. Bennett	Swanzy	1st	W. Swanzy
	"	Flora I. Jackson	Winchester	17	Housework	Winchester	Angela Hammond	Coventry, Vt.	1st	Rev. S. H. McCool
	"						Sullivan Church	Brownington, Vt.	1st	Marlboro
	"						May Provonchia	Wilmington, Vt.	1st	Marlboro
	"						Frank G. Harvey	Northampton, Ms.	1st	Marlboro
	"						Nettie E. Bates	Greenfield, Ms.	1st	Marlboro
	"						Will F. Brockway	Brattleboro, Vt.	1st	Marlboro
	"						Mary F. Lottin	Athol, Ms.	1st	Marlboro
	"						Jonathan Goodell	Athol, Ms.	1st	Marlboro
	"						Mary L. Hill	Swanzy	1st	Marlboro
	"						Oren L. Mason	Marlboro	1st	Marlboro
	"						Susan M. Palmer	Richmond	1st	Marlboro
	"						Henry W. Capron	Swanzy	1st	Marlboro
	"						Ida Taft	Winchester	1st	Marlboro
	"						Berton C. Jackson	Winchester	1st	Marlboro
	"						Isabel Conway	Richmond	1st	Marlboro

\* Whether single or widowed. What marriage—whether 1st, 2d, etc.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF SWANZEY, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1904.

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in Years.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	*. Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
Aug. 10	Swanzeny	Frank D. Bacon	Swanzeny	25	Laborer	Southbridge Ms	Frank H. Bacon Rosetta Robbins	Putnam, Ct. Charlton, Ms.	1st	Rev L C Kimball Swanzeny
		Mary Beaudoin	"	25	Housekeeping	Canada	T. Beaudoin Virginia Richards	" "	1st	
Sept. 7	Marlboro	Carlton L. Stephenson	"	21	Boxmaker	Swanzeny	Geo. Stephenson Menora Lawrence	Swanzeny Winchester	1st	Rev AM Markey Marlboro
		Helen G. Kingsbury	"	18	Housework	Newport	Horace Kingsbury Carrie B. Allen	Oswego, N. Y. Newport	1st	
Nov. 5	Keene	Edward Laundry	"	19	Boxmaker	Marlboro	Edward Laundry Lella Gasline	" Canada	1st	Rev. J. Walther Keene
		Bertha Taylor	Keene	18	Housework	Ashburnham Ms	Walter Taylor	" Leominster, Ms.	1st	
Dec. 12	Swanzeny	Arthur M. Rixford	Swanzeny	25	Laborer	Swanzeny	Lock Rixford Hattie Davis	" "	1st	Rev B F Kellogg W. Swanzeny
		Cora I. Talbott	"	16	At home	"	Alfred Talbott Susie Chablain	" "	1st	
" 12	"	Ernest Q. Maxfield	"	19	Carder	Pittsfield, Me.	Ernest Maxfield Viola Stacy	Palmyra, Me.	1st	Rev B F Kellogg W. Swanzeny
		Lida L. Harvey	"	17	At home	Manchester	Frank C. Harvey Della F. Martin	" Manchester	1st	
" 18	"	Charles H. Brown	Springfield Ms	38	Physician	N. Chemsford Ms	Chas. H. Brown Martha M.	N. Chemsford Ms Glasgow, Scot.	1st	G. I. Cutler, J. P. W. Swanzeny
		Helen Sawyer	"	43	Office attendant	Wilbraham, Ms.	Horatio Sawyer Elizabeth	Wilbraham, Ms. "	1st	
" 31	Marlboro	Waylon L. Handy	Swanzeny	23	Student	Swanzeny	Frank B. Handy Ida I. Hovey	Swanzeny "	1st	[Jester Rev S. H. McColl Marlboro
		Allie B. Tarbox	Marlboro	23	Teacher	Marlboro	Frank A. Tarbox Hattie A. Knight	Marlboro Dekalb, Ill.	1st	
" 31	Greenfield, Ms	Frank R. Simonds	Swanzeny	40	Farmer	Northfield, Ms.	Ralph A. Simonds Sarah Houghton	Northfield, Ms. "	3d	Rev J W Stephens Greenfield, Ms.
		Sarah M. Smith	"	38	Nursing	Templeton, Ms.	James A. Packard Harriet L. Willard	Jamaica, Vt. Templeton, Ms.	3d	

\* Whether single or widowed. What marriage—whether 1st, 2d, etc.

# DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF SWANZEY, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1904.

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.		Place of Birth.	Sex and Condition	Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
		Years.	Months.			Father.	Mother.		
Jan. 1	Ephraim P. Rixford	86	2	1 Winchester	M	Winchester	Winchester	Artemas Rixford.	Rachel Prime
" 17	Sarah B. Stephenson	67	6	23 Swanzev	F	Swanzy	Richmond	Eli Stephenson	Sophia Green
Feb. 8	Mary S. Hammond	61	10	23 "	F	"	Benardston, Ms.	Joel Hammond	Mary M. Rogers
" 20	Bessie E. Franklin	1	11	6 "	F	Charlestown	Alstead	Henry D. Franklin	Elizabeth A. Webster
Apr. 18	Hannah Crouch	96	11	10 Chesterfield	F	Brookline	Brookline	Amos Crouch	Lydia Brown
" 20	Guy A. Willson	18	2	8 Jamaica, Vt.	F	Alstead	Keene	Arthur W. Willson	Josephine Trask
May 4	Susan M. Davis	88	7	6 Swanzy	F	Franklin, Mass.	Sharon, Mass.	Fisher Bullard	Rhoda Clark
" 7	William H. Butrick	73	8	Derry	M	Derry	"	David Butrick	"
" 16	Chester R. Whitcomb	24	11	Lockhaven, Pa.	M	Swanzy	Swanzy	Hiram Whitcomb	Mary Britton
June 22	Elias G. Stephenson	85	11	17 Swanzy	M	Oakham, Mass.	Swanzy	William Stephenson	Polly Grimes
July 3	Homer Stratton	89	5	Philipston, Mass.	M	Winchester	Winchester	Jonathan Stratton	Betsy —
" 14	Artemas W. Rixford	44	6	4 Winchester	M	Gill, Mass.	Gill, Mass.	Bradley Rixford	Angelina Howard
" 24	Andrew J. Carey	48	"	Colraine, Mass.	M	England	England	Zina Carey	Eunice Lyon
Aug. 8	Robert L. Kiblin	72	"	Ashburnham, Mass.	M	Poland, Russia	Poland, Russia	— Kiblin	"
" 23	Peter Gatas	"	6	23 Swanzy	M	Poland, Russia	"	Frank Gatas	Kiedy Parda
" 25	Unknown	"	"	"	M	"	"	"	"
Sept. 25	Sylvanus Bartlett	92	9	15 Northfield, Mass.	M	Northfield, Mass.	Dublin, Ireland	Sylvanus Bartlett	Eliza'th Barnfatters
Oct. 2	Maria Thompson	65	8	3 Niagara, Ontario	F	Lancaster, Eng.	Northfield, Mass.	Edward Bolton.	Asenath Norton
" 14	Elkanah Lane	68	8	3 Swanzy	M	Swanzy	Acworth	Elsha Lane	Elizabeth N. Barney
" 17	Rose E. Phelps	52	5	15 Winchester	F	Winchester	New Haven, Vt.	Horace G. Pickett	Sarah Delphy
" 19	Lucy J. Atkins	30	6	14 Welden, P. Q.	F	Middlebury, Vt.	Keene	Thomas Dupont	"
" 23	John A. Blake	64	"	Keene	M	"	"	Russell Blake	"
" 23	Harry T. Craig	21	3	15 Jaffrey	M	"	"	Fred W. Craig	Louise Larock
" 30	Lizzie E. Kelllogg	44	3	4 Townsend, Mass.	F	Townsend, Mass.	New Ipswich	Charles G. Manning	Lucy A. Clark
Nov. 16	George F. Eastman	32	6	21 Swanzy	M	Keene	Keene	Geo. W. Eastman	Jane Tufts
" 20	Alden M. Ripley	46	1	27 " "	M	Swanzy	Swanzy	William N. Ripley	Susan E. Worcester
Dec. 22	Ephraim Crouch	93	10	23 Chesterfield	M	Boxboro, Mass.	Brookline, N. H.	Amos Crouch	Lydia Brown
" 21	Amos C. Crouch	77	2	14 " "	M	Chesterfield.	Brookline, Mass.	Amos Crouch.	Lucy Brown

\* Single, married or widowed.



A LIST OF THOSE DYING ELSEWHERE WHOSE REMAINS WERE  
BROUGHT TO SWANZEY FOR INTERMENT.

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Place of Death.	Age.		
			Y.	M.	D.
1904.					
Jan. 17	Edwin B. Noyes	Boston, Mass.	55	9	22
" 28	Fred O. Bishop	Fitchburg, Mass.	28	5	11
Feb. 3	Morgan R. Stebbins	Keene	20	4	3
" 27	Sarah E. Wilson	"	76	4	29
Mar. 8	Bradley Hill	Troy	83	7	15
" 9	Georgiana F. Mondan	Bridgeport, Conn.	64	10	
" 30	Albert E. Starkey	Lynn, Mass.	63	8	17
May 12	Eva I. Hinds	Keene		2	
June 23	William Sebastian	"	68	1	11
July 17	Blanche E. Bowen	"			3
Aug. 2	Justice S. Rogers	"	82	10	7
Sept 11	Cyrus W. Stanley	Athol, Mass.	77		
Oct. 8	Ruth H. Thorndike	Fitchburg, Mass.		10	24
Nov. 10	Nathan B. Rowe	Keene	54	6	11
" 18	Clarissa Talbott	Winchester	95	7	13
Dec. 3	Florence A. Hewes	Colerain, Mass.	29	5	11
" 2	Charles N. Sebastian	Brockton, Mass.	61	10	24

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEORGE I. CUTLER,  
Town Clerk.

## [TOWN WARRANT.]

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

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To the inhabitants of the town of Swanzey, in the county of Cheshire, in said state, qualified to vote in town affairs.

You are hereby notified to meet at the town house in said Swanzey on Tuesday, the fourteenth day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1—To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

2—To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriation of the same.

3—To see if the town will vote to raise money for decorating soldiers' graves.

4—To see if the town will vote to observe Old Home Week and raise money for the same.

5—To see if the town will vote to raise one hundred dollars for the support of the Stratton library for the ensuing year or take action thereon.

6—To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money to improve the Richardson park.

7—To see if the town will vote to give the Golden-rod grange free use of the town hall for one year or take any action thereon.

8—To see if the town will vote to build a highway, starting at a stone post set in the ground near the corner of the road leading to the new cemetery in West Swanzey and running easterly to land of the Stratton estate, and raise thirty-five dollars for the same.

9—To see if the town will vote to accept the Lawrence fund of one hundred dollars to care for the Eliza Whitcomb lot in West Swanzey cemetery.

10—To see if the town will vote to raise five hundred dollars in addition to the sum raised in 1904 to lay a pipe from Dickinson's mill to the tank on the common in West Swanzey.

11—To see if the town will vote to raise two hundred dollars to complete repairs on the engine house in West Swanzey.

12—To see if the town will vote to instruct the selectmen to grant a billiard license in West Swanzey.

ANSIL A. MORSE,  
GEORGE E. ADAMS,  
EDWARD B. HOLBROOK,  
Selectmen of Swanzey.

A true copy of warrant—attest:

ANSIL A. MORSE,  
GEORGE E. ADAMS,  
EDWARD B. HOLBROOK,  
Selectmen of Swanzey.

## [SCHOOL WARRANT.]

## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the inhabitants of the school district in the town of Swanzey, qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the town house in said district on the fourteenth day of March, 1905, at two o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1—To choose a moderator for the coming year.

2—To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.

3—To choose a member of the school board for the ensuing three years.

4—To choose a treasurer for the ensuing year.

5—To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees, or officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

6—To choose agents, auditors and committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

7—To see how much money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools.

8—To see how much money the district will raise for the support and repair of school property, including the furnishing of schoolhouse No. 7 with new desks.

9—To see if the district will vote to authorize the school board to unite with one or more town districts or special districts to form a supervisory district for the purpose of employing a superintendent of the public schools therein, under the provisions of Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of New Hampshire, 1899; and to raise money to carry such vote into effect.

Given under our hands at said Swanzey, this 23d day of February, 1905.

JESSIE H. MARSH,  
LUCIA E. WHITCOMB,  
GEORGE I. CUTLER,  
School Board.

A true copy of warrant—attest:

JESSIE H. MARSH,  
LUCIA E. WHITCOMB,  
GEORGE I. CUTLER,  
School Board.











